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ABSTRACT

A desired temperature distribution is efficiently formed on a glass sheet by a simple structure without lowering heat efficiency within a furnace.

5 A heating furnace 15 conveys a bending mold 9 of a glass sheet and a radiation-heating device is provided in the heating furnace, and a first group of a plurality of heating elements are fixed on an inner wall surface of the heating furnace 15, and a second group of a plurality
10 of heating elements are disposed separably from an inner wall surface of the heating furnace.